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TAGS: PINS, SHUM, SF

SUBJ: ARREST OF SASO OFFICIAL

1. PRESS ANNOUNCED ARREST IN DURBAN SEPT. 26 OF TERENCE TYRON, COLORED SECRETARY GENERAL OF SOUTH AFRICAN STUDENTS' ORGANIZATION (SASO). TYRON HAD BEEN SASO ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER BEFORE BEING ELECTED SECRETARY GENERAL IN MEETING AT HAMMANSKRAAL EARLIER IN WEEK. HE WAS ARRESTED UNDER SECTION 22 OF GENERAL LAWS AMENDMENT ACT WHICH PROVIDES FOR 14 DAYS' DETENTION AFTER WHICH DETAINEE MUST BE BROUGHT BEFORE A MAGISTRATE.

2. DURBAN DAILY NEWS REPORTS THAT TYRON'S ARREST BRINGS TO MORE THAN 12 THE NUMBER OF PERSONS ARRESTED IN NATAL SINCE JUNE (NAMES BY AIRGRAM). SEVERAL ZULULAND UNIVERSITY STUDENTS ARE ALSO BELIEVED TO BE HELD UNDER SAG'S NEW INTERNAL SECURITY ACT.

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